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For

1908

CALENDAR FOR 1908.

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May 1, 1919
to
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Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1908

Thursday, Jan. 2, 1908

Friday, Jan. 3, 1908

1919 Thurs. May 1

Kipling reading

W.D.S. meeting in afternoon.
Change of management principle.
Instead of board of 6, to be a
director & advisory council of 5.
Unanimously elected director.

Sat 3

Annual Masquerade ball.
Went in Hantazinca costume.
Phil & Mrs. Wilson to dinner of abs.

Thurs 8

Masefield reading, conclusion
of series

Mon 5

Mrs. Lloyd left chickens.

Saturday, Jan. 4, 1908

Sunday, Jan. 5, 1908

Fri May 9

Poker party at Hilliards. Lost 85¢.

Sun 11

After week's hard work finished hen yard & house.
C incorrigible. Abandoned account & fines. & everything.

Mon 12

Community dinner at Hilliards.
4 + 4 + Phil Wilson & Fred Search.
Danced a little. Stunts. Fell on head.

Tues 13

Head & neck queer all day
Pebble Brook for pitch with
Brooks & John. Dinner at Brooks.

Monday, Jan. 6, 1908

Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1908

Wed 14

Head still wrongly.

Thurs 15

Masefield reading — after the fire.

Sun 18

Pebble Beach

Wednesday, Jan. 8, 1908

Thursday, Jan. 9, 1908

Thurs 22

No reading
Poker & Cribbage. Won $4.00

Sun 25

Worked all day on yard
Dinner - community - at
Hillcrests

Tues 27

Down the coast in Cronan's car with
him & Brooks & Hilliard.
Lunched on Big Sur.
Camped at Posts.

Wed 28

Hiked down trail to Torres Canyon
Light rain returning.

Friday, Jan. 10, 1908

Saturday, Jan. 11, 1908

Thurs 29

Inland over the mt.
Lost in canyons. Waterfall barred way. Found gov't trail. Reached Sun River about 7. Fished till 8 — Camp again about 10.

Fri 30

Back to Carmel.
Best camp trip ever.
Supper Dance at Hoppers'. Bed at 4.

Sat 31

Supper at Brooks'.

Sunday, Jan. 12, 1908

Monday, Jan. 13, 1908

1919 Tues June 3

after mussels with Cronan

Wed 4

Coopers, who arrived yesterday, to mussel dinner.

Thurs 5

No reading.
Informal dance at Ailegs
Not very well

Sun 8

Worse

Mon 9

Sick (tonsilitis?)

Tues 10

Sicker & cold

Wed 11

Cold better, but cough.
Dined with Coopers

Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1908

Wednesday, Jan. 15, 1908

Thurs 12

No reading. Coughing.

Fri 13

Trifle better.

Sat 14

A has evidently left.

Sun 15

A came with wagon & took her things & some household goods. Also the children, temporarily.

Mon 16

Little better.

Tues 17

Better.

Henry says must do something about mortgage.

Thursday, Jan. 16, 1908

Friday, Jan. 17, 1908

Wed 18
Phil opened both houses with dance.

Thurs 19
Didn't go to Cileys', but played chess with Milner. Much better.
Business nil.

Mon. 31
Business better, but not to compare with Dec., Jan. Feb., March!
Tickets for F. T. S. plays a rush a week, going fairly

Saturday, Jan. 18, 1908

Sunday, Jan. 19, 1908

1919 July 2

Elizabeth Hoffer makes herself disappeared.

Thurs 3

Sold tickets at gate for Robin Hood & saw perf. Rotten.

Fri 4

Tickets at gate, & ~~saw~~ Cileys. Lunch at Coopers.

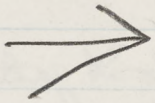
Sat 5

Tickets at gate for Happy Heart & saw performance. Parts of it delightful.

Mon 7

Tickets at gate, & ~~watched~~ Premier Happy Heart again. "Vegetables" remarkable

Monday, Jan. 20, 1908



Tuesday, Jan. 21, 1908

Tues 8
Hoopers' party at A + C.
Wed 9
Supper + Coopers with the Boughtons.

Thurs 10
D.L. James finally declines to play Mercutio (a Romeo)

Fri 11
Hilliard declines. He says he would not play in Shakespeare under any circumstances; also he would not accept directorship of annual plays 2 years in succession.

Sat 12
Beckhoffs' supper dance.

Wednesday, Jan. 22, 1908

Thursday, Jan. 23, 1908

Sun 13 to Sun 20

Gribner, Cirley, Strode & others decline to play in R & J.

Hilliard ~~declines~~ declines King in Golden Doom. Long talk with him. I stood pat for 3 plays, 3 producers.

Mary Fenner accepts Juliet. Grown-ups childs party at Hoopers.

Van Ripen & Cirley start rehearsals for one act plays on Cirley's lawn, & Hilliard, Strode, Bechdolt & others take parts.

Dandy posters for R & J by Miss Muirden.

Mrs Rendtorff takes Muse.

Friday, Jan. 24, 1908

Saturday, Jan. 25, 1908

Jan. 21

Gardner accepts Fr. Laurence, but Mary Fenner (alas!) must give up Juliet, as the Fenners must leave Cannel in a week. Royalty on Pantaloon is £50, so 1-act program abandoned, & R & J. changed from 1 perf on Aug 9 & Aug 15 & 16.

Tues 22

Sewall on jury on Election Board from 5:45 a.m. & 8 p.m.

Bond room lost. Ocean Rose & remains "as is"!

Wed 23

Heifer born at 6:05, walked at 6:40!

1st rehearsal (reading) of

Sunday, Jan. 26, 1908

Monday, Jan. 27, 1908

Romeo & Juliet at Book Shop.

Saturday 26

Sold tickets at gate for Woodland Dancers, & saw performance.

Sunday 27

Cleared out alcove & built corral for calf

Hurt finger - or was it 26th?

~~[illegible]~~

Monday 28

Finger swollen.

Cirley's al fresco performances.

His play & Van Riper's.

Tuesday 29

Rehearsal ② of Romeo & Juliet at F. T.

Tuesday, Jan. 28, 1908

Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1908

Wed 30

Mrs. Rendtorff hay fever,
Dr Gardner lumbago
Electrician small pox
No music, no Carmel
Juliet.
Production ∴ postponed
till 1920
Arms & the man instead.

Thurs 31

Peter Drake comes to visit, and
to assist.
Billy to dinner.
Finger better.
July sales far less than
half of December sales!

Thursday, Jan. 30, 1908

Friday, Jan. 31, 1908

1919 Fri Aug 1.

First rehearsal of Amos & Mrs (reading).

Tues 5

First rehearsal with complete cast.

Wed 6

Peter Dunbar went home.

Sun 10

Billy came with his rabbit to visit & help

Mon 11

Dinner at Hilliards

Tues 12

Vascha recital

Wed 13

Billy left.

Saturday, Feb. 1, 1908

Sunday, Feb. 2, 1908

Thurs 14

Dress rehearsal of Arms & the man.

Fri 15

First performance

Sat 16

Everybody praises the show: Production, acting, setting, costumes, play, lighting. 2nd perf. audience not so responsive.

Sun 17

Photos in a m.
Dinner at Highlands Run with Coopers. Search concert afterward.

Monday, Feb. 3, 1908

A. & C. perf. given up.
"Arms & Man" replaces it for
Fleet Week

Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908

Wed 20

G. S. came down, bringing Hinson, ham, butter, nuts, jam, etc. Real food!

Thurs 21

Like old times to talk with George again.

Fri 22

Grace Wickham has smallpox! Allan Bird concert.

Sat 23

George left.

Sun 24

Frances Seidenack hysterics at Overstaunt.

Mon 25

With the coopers to Pebble Beach for breakfast on sand,

Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1908

Thursday, Feb. 6, 1908

then to Pulgrove to see fleet come in.

Wed 27

Hopper wants Kibbler at City trustee meeting over small pox notice

Coopers & Boughtons to dinner. Sort of birthday affair, Will's being 7 days ago, mine in 2 months. Delaware cake & poor icecream provided by them. Tomato soup, Virginia ham, Southern sweet spuds, chocolate, corn bread, candy, nuts, cheese by me.

Thurs 28

Slight rain early this am. Rehearsal of Arms & Man to refresh our memories.

Friday, Feb. 7, 1908

Saturday, Feb. 8, 1908

Friday 29

Special perf. of Amuse Man for Sailors. Best perf. of the three.

Sunday 31

Cooper left.
2 overstreets & Sind to dinner

Sunday, Feb. 9, 1908

San German submarine
in Monterey harbor. (date ?)

Monday, Feb. 10, 1908

1919 Sept 1 to 20
Working on Seid's house
many mornings.
Gave several dinners:
4 Hilliards & Mason
2 Pridams
2 Seidenecks
Cow tested & found ok.
D L J. left
Boughtons left.
Mrs Randtoff's reading
of her "Magic Waters."
Freddy Search—Hawkins—Forestel
Concert.

Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1908

Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1908

Sunday, Sep 21

Dinner at Overstreets, & played poker, winning 1.05

Monday 2 2

Dropped 3 bottles of milk, smashing bottles. Good pure fresh milk at 15¢ a qt! — not to mention bottles at 10¢ apiece.

But Margaret remains 4 weeks more, & we'll play tennis.

Meeting of W.D.S. at Book Shop. Directors report. New plan to merge all societies to be tried.

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1908

Monday, Feb. 24, 1908

Sat. Sept. 27

Strenuous day! Up at 6:30.
Cleaned house all a.m.
Bookshop all afternoon
3 Rendtorffs to dinner
Movies to see The Trouble Buster.
Bonnie's dance till 2.
(Not forgetting cow, calf, chickens, cooking, etc.)

Sunday 28

Dinner at Leids with Phil
Whiting, Miss Dierson & 2 Leids
Played run, winning of course.

Monday 29

Rain! Roof leaks.
2 Leids & Phil to dinner
Played run, winning.

Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1908

Wednesday, Feb. 26, 1908

Tuesday, 30

Met Margaret, who said "This is good bye — I'm going tomorrow."

Took her Leila's box of candy. She wasn't in, so I left them.

Thursday, Feb. 27, 1908

"Couldn't you wait?" said Lola.
"Will you get me the Friend
Book," said Jim.

Friday, Feb. 28, 1908

1919 Wed October 1

Margaret left today, I suppose.
I didn't see her again
2 Brooks to dinner.

Thurs. 2

To Monterey & P.G.
Won $1.25 box of candy ~~on~~ Lardigs
punch board.

Fri 3

"Here's your Desert Trails," I said.
"Oh, I got one in the city,"
said John. Cheap, small revenge.
Dance at Overstreets. Hanna,
Major James, Seid, Overstreet, whiting H,
Mrs Purdan & Ruth, Mrs Ancient,
Frances, Mrs. O & Phyllis.
Lost 1.75 it runs to whiting.

Saturday, Feb. 29, 1908

Sun 12

Billy spent last night
& all today with me.
Cleaned cellar. Damn
glad its done.

Sunday, Mar. 1, 1908

Sun. 5

Cleaned yard all day.
Billy spent day with me.
Culley's poker party in evening
Won 60¢.

Tues 7

Supper at Brooks'. Came
there. Nice young fellow.

Mon 13

2 Seids & 3 overstreets to dinner,
each contributing.
Coon (?) got a chicken.

Tues 14

2 Seids to dinner.

Monday, Mar. 2, 1908

Tuesday, Mar. 3, 1908

Thurs 16

4 campers (Brooks, Holland, Conard & I) supper à la camp. Strawberries & cream, oatmeal, sweet buns, bacon & eggs with potato balls, toast, coffee, waffles, stewed quince. Good stories, discussion of various phases of literature, reading from Swinburne & Kipling.

Fri 17

Sam & I played tennis (first game in 3 years)

Sat 18

Dance at Calages.

Sun 19

Cleaned stoves, fireplaces & both chimneys

"Golden lads ——"

Wednesday, Mar. 4, 1908

Fri 24

Storm. Mass meeting at A&C. to make F.T. a community theater. Organizing committee appointed Criley, & I'm not on it!

26

B'day. Billy spent day, coming in at 7:30 Dinner at Overstreets. "High tea" at Pinkerton's. Kersh's [illegible]

Thursday, March 5, 1908

Mon 20

Sold cow & calf for $90 to McDonald. For this relief, I'm exceedingly glad.

Tues 21

Worked painting my roof. Hard, hot, dirty, but not disagreeable, strange to say.

27

Crane gave me 4 ducks.

28

To Pinkerton's to dinner, I furnishing 3 ducks, which were delicious.

29

O declined a duck, so I corked it at Seidenecks. Wonderful luck G. J. S. had at mm, & poor Phil the

Friday, March 6, 1908

Saturday, March 7, 1908

opposite. Worked till 1.30 a.m. getting ready for S.F.
Sold my 10 chickens to Mrs. Floyd.

Thurs 30

To S.F. with the Cronans.
George gave me his room at the Club.
Met Yone Noguchi.

Fri 31

Business all day.
Cronan to luncheon at Club.
Dinner with Lafler & his very pretty wife and George & Ina Mitchell at Bologna's.
Took Cronan & his wife to "Ann & the Man" at Maitland Playhouse.

Sunday, March 8, 1908

Monday, March 9, 1908

1919 Sat Nov 1

Business all day.
Dinner with Mrs. Harrison
(& Yone Noguchi).

Sun 2

Fine trip back with Cronans.
Dinner at Overstreets.

Mon 3

Beautiful day. Worked like hell.

Tues 4

Supper at Hillards

Wed 5

Frances has left George Seidneck.

Thurs 6

Dutch supper, cards & dance.
Asked George, 3 overstreets, Mrs.
Aucount, 2 Pudans (only Ruth
came and sulked all evening).

Tuesday, March 10, 1908

Wednesday, March 11, 1908

Phil Whiting & Miss Dearson, & Major James (who left at 8 to go to Culey's dance) No more countesses to Major J. or Ruth.

Sat. Nov 8.

Seid & Phil to dinner, Seid bringing steak. Dance at Bechdolts, up till 4. Gorgeous moon, crisp clear night, morning star largest I ever saw, but not most beautiful.

Sun 9

Got 24 abalones.
Overstreets to dinner

Mon 10

Dinner at Hilliards.

Thursday, March 12, 1908

Friday, March 13, 1908

Tues 11

Seid & Ernest Sohn. to chalone dinner.

Wed 12

Billy's birthday (7). Gave him box of candy, some tufts, & a party. Had him invite all the boys in his room at school and a few special friends beside. 3 to 5:30. Seid helped much. Fine homemade ice cream, very pretty pink birthday cake with candles, lots of cocoa, ~~tea~~ little brown biscuits & butter, roasted peanuts. Everything fresh & homemade. 18 boys. George Sterling sent him a fine box of candies, but how got

Saturday, March 14, 1908

Sunday, March 15, 1908

broken. Noise? Yea!
Abalone newburg, coffee
& biscuits at 7 for gang of
Carmel writers. Hopper, Hilliard,
Pinkerton, Bechdolt, Crane,
Brooks, Cronan, Heron,
Seid stayed also. Hopper's talk
on degeneration of writing in
America was bully.
Mrs Hopper brought up a cake.
Thurs 13
Dinner at Mrs Young's.
Poker party with Overstreets
& Mrs Ancourt afterward. Mrs. O
& Mrs A such damn fool
players I got mad first time
in my life at a game.

Monday, March 16, 1908

Tuesday, March 17, 1908

Fri 14

Learned from Mrs Bulbolt how to make her wonderful bread. Also lost to her the first game of chess since Jack London & I see saved in 1904 (?)

Sat 15-16

Said to dinner.

Mon 17.

Said came to stay while getting over Frances' departure. She left Carmel today, after clearing out their house, including ring & whiskboom.

Mon 24

Pawned pearl.

Wednesday, March 18, 1908

Sat 29

Swell dance at Cileys

Thursday, March 19, 1908

Tues 25

Dinner with Naftzger-Woods at their new Highlands home. Pinkertons took me down in their car; they also at dinner, & Cosby.

Thurs 27

Thanksgiving dinner at Overstreets.

Fri 28

Long letter to Frances to straighten out their financial tangle.

Sun 30

Supper at Reid's (?) home, with him & manager & 3 Overstreets.

Friday, March 20, 1908

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Light wind early a.m.
Got up & dressed at 4:30
Went down the usual
road to the shop & fixed
awning.

Saturday, March 21, 1908

1919 December 3

Storm.

Thurs 4

Writers' dinner (evidently I set a fashion!) at Pinkertons. 10 of us × Much F.T. talk.

Sun 7

Got 27 abalones.
~~3 Overstreets & dinner.~~

Wed 10

Monterey in the rain. Hell!

Thurs 11

Dinner at Leid's

Sat 13

Supper dance at Overstreets.
Pudans contrary.

Sunday, March 22, 1908

Sun. 14

Dinner at McCollums'.

Monday, March 23, 1908

Mon 16 (1)

Poker dinner at Leids. Won 2 95
Mrs. O. quit mad because I made
fun of her for
(1) Drawing to a two & three,
(2) " to a 5, 4, ace
(3) Bluffing (!) by calling!!

Thurs. 18

Organizing meeting of F. T.
Hopper, Bechdolt, Hilliard elected
Play Committee. Summer Festival
of 3 plays not definitely set.
Directors: Willard (Pres.) Mrs Hand
(VP), Major James (Sec), Criley
(Treas), Overstreet (Historian-Librarian)
Hopper (Ch. Play Com), and Parkes,
Morgan, Heron.

Tuesday, March 24, 1908

Wednesday, March 25, 1908

Sat Dec 20

Manzanita Club party. Punch

Sun 21

Pinkerton, Hilliard & Co & Culeys to play poker. Lost 2.15.
Delicious rarebit.

Mon 22

Dance & Pine Inn. Good.

Tues 23

Writers (etc) party at Jooslyns. Great coffee. Played poker after a while, till 3 a.m. Won $7.50.

Wed 24.

Xmas tree peregrinations.

Thursday, March 26, 1908

Friday, March 27, 1908

Christmas Thurs 25
Luncheon at Brooks'.
Dinner at Highlands with
Mrs. Harrison.
Overstreets & Lord (latter my
guest) went down with me.
Dance, but god dam.

Gave C & Bill a box of grub,
books, top, candy, gum, etc.
Candy to Bob & Hilda, Mrs.
Harrison.
Books to Ruth & Phyllis
Candy to Overstreets.
Books to Bobsie Pinkerton
& to Brooks boys.
Dx & tea to Gilead.
Books to Margaret, Coopers.
& Betty Lou

Saturday, March 28, 1908

Sunday, March 29, 1908

2 fine bd hps from Mrs Hamann
Cup & saucer from Dorothea.
Linda Condon from myself.
Hilliards asked me to
dinner, at last moment.
Declined.

Sat Dec 27

Hopper party. Roast pig.
Danced all night. Supper
at midnight. Breakfast at
6 a.m. Glorious time.

Mon 29

Bill came to stay a while.
Bless his little gizzard!
Ruth Pudan came to the shop.
I went to Ruth's house.

Monday, March 30, 1908

Tuesday, March 31, 1908

Wed Dec 31

My New Years Party.
Asked about 70. 45 came.
Also 3 who were not invited;
Ernest Hennings, Mabel Hathaway
her beau.
Supper at midnight.
Danced till 3.

1920 Thurs Jan 1

Dinner at La Playa with
Overstreets (& Seidenecke)
Danced till 12.
Ruth has 5 dances taken.
"You want it that way, don't you?"

Wednesday, April 1, 1908

Mon 5

Hoppers Bechdolt asked me to suggest August play with view to producing it.

Epidemic cough-cold (Mild flu?) Got it. Damn. Not bad.

Sat 10.

Mrs Harrison to luncheon (Her 63rd birthday).

Thursday, April 2, 1908

1920 Sat Jan 3

~~Dutch~~ poker party & dupper

3 Josselyns, Cailey, Hilliard,
Overstreet, Sandeneck, Miller,
Pinkerton, Heron, Bechdolt

Sun 4

Dinner at Overstreets.

Wed 7?

Dinner at Josselyns?

Sun 10

3 Pinkertons to luncheon
Egg nog & tamale at Hoffman's.

~~Fri 11~~

~~[illegible]~~ Wed 14

Bill returned to sister.
(O still in S.F.)

Friday, April 3, 1908

Saturday, April 4, 1908

Thurs 15

Dinner with Mrs Drake & Mrs. Leuschner.

Fri 16

Mrs Hilliard's birthday. Gave her box of her favorite chocolate peppermints. Their box social called off acct grippe, but most of us went down anyhow.

Sat 17

Overstreet's poker party. Won $4. Good eats.

Mon 19

Got mussels with Lewis J. Mrs. Drake & Mrs. Leuschner to dinner

Tues 20

Met Dr. MacDougal & learned that Alice was dead.

Sunday, April 5, 1908

Monday, April 6, 1908

20

2 Cileys to Mussel dinner (also Bill). Asked 2 Hoppers, but they couldn't come.

21

O returned with Mrs Livingston & the MacDougals.
Seidenecke & 3 overstreets to dinner.
After mussels with Mrs Denker & Mrs Leuschner.

22

Rain at last, but very little
Paid $100 on the mortgage, & renewed it. All interest, taxes, insurance caught up too.
I wish Olive's death didn't affect me so. She was Opal's

Tuesday, April 7, 1908

Wednesday, April 8, 1908

friend, not mine particularly. I suppose it was the suddenness, and the longtime I'd known her, and the knowledge of what it must be to Mrs MacDougal & ~~the~~ Doctor MacDougal.

Fri 23

Artocrafts dance. Poor music, no good partners.

Sat 24

Lewis & Mrs Josselyn to dinner.

Sun 25

Hilliard & Bechdolt agree on Julius Caesar for August. Hilliard to dinner.

Mon 26

Bechdolt, true to form, goes back on his decision.

Thursday, April 9, 1908

Friday, April 10, 1908

26

Nemone to dinner
Beckdolt & Hilliard came up,
& Beck turned back to J.C., apparently.

29

Luncheon with Lewis & his mother.
Dance at Cirleys.

Saturday, April 11, 1908

Sunday, April 12, 1908

1920 Sun Feb 1

I Bechdolts to dinner

Mon 2

Recommended to Play Com:

(1) Romeo & Juliet, Cooper producing
(Heron producing ~~[illegible]~~ children's play)

(2) Julius Caesar, Cooper producing
(Heron producing children's play)

(3) Julius Caesar, Heron producing

(4) The Merchant of Venice, " "

(5) Hamlet, " "

The recommendation was received courteously, but evidently will not be followed.

Monday, April 13, 1908

Tuesday, April 14, 1908

Wed Feb 4

Ever in by-laws with Hilliard & Burkhalter up in the air.

Fri 6

Mission benefit dance at La Playa.

Sun 8

Made the best bran biscuits of my whole career.

Tues 10

To Highlands with Caley, called on Maude Hagle, then O'Shea (& went over his beautiful house built for Mrs Byerly), lunched with Mrs Harrison, played 2 sets tennis at Caleys, & home with Hopper.

Wednesday, April 15, 1908

Thursday, April 16, 1908

Wed 11 ~~Thurs 12~~

Kath. Cooke asked me to her dance, but didn't go, having worked like hell all day.

Thurs 12

Good window for Lincoln's B'day
Sold lots of books.

Fri 13

Wars and rumours of wars.
John produces 2 plays?
Mrs Lloyd says Mrs. MacDougal says I is downcast at possibility of my making trouble for her. I told her oh needn't worry. I make no trouble. I only want what is right – one of the children.

Friday, April 17, 1908

Saturday, April 18, 1908

Sat 14

Annual masquerade ball. Didn't go.

Sun 15.

Second Sunday that Bill hasn't come up. I seldom see Constance. Is O turning them against me?
Dinner at Brooks' (2 Brooks, 2 Hillards, 1 H) Brooks goes to Lot. (then N.Y) tomorrow.

Sun 22

To Highlands. Lunch with Mrs Harrison. Crileys for a half hour — plenty. Icy atmosphere.
Dinner at Millers'.

Sunday, April 19, 1908

Monday, April 20, 1908

Thurs Feb 26

Served with divorce summons
Called on Mrs Macdougal & Alice's
baby.

Fri 27

Storm. Dinner at Seidenecks,
with 2 Whitneys & Miss Dickson Cioguglia (?)
Singing at Miss Dickson's after -

Sat 28

Told O to decide which of the
children she wished to keep - or
it would be settled in court.
She is very unhappy over this -
but I see no reason why I
should lose both my children
through her failure as a wife.

Tuesday, April 21, 1908

Wednesday, April 22, 1908

28

Poker party at Miller's. Lost $4.60. Worst ever in Cannel.
Had a good time — fine plays.

Sun 29

Rain — rain — rain.
Billy came to supper.

~~[illegible]~~

Thursday, April 23, 1908

Friday, April 24, 1908

1920 Monday, March 1

Took Billy back to get his boats, & settled it with Opal that I was to keep him after the divorce. Poker (rainy day session) at Hilliards (4 to 12). Supper there. Won 2.00

Wed 3

Mrs Harrison offers & buy W.D.S. books for $25! Poker won 1.20

Thurs 4

Dutch Dinner at Hilliards. Read & criticised first 2 chapters of John's "~~Battle~~ Baby."

Fri 5

Point Lobos with the Whitneys, Miss Dierssen & Seid. Backdelts in eve. Poker won 10.00

Saturday, April 25, 1908

Sunday, April 26, 1908

Sun Mar 7

To Pebble Beach with JNH to get pitch pine. Dinner at Hilliards.

Mon 8

To Salinas with Haskell & his kid & Miss Adriance.
Saw Judge Bardin & Gabala.
Breakdown on returned. Towed 14 miles to Monterey.
Poker at Hilliards in evening
Wn 1.20

Tues 9

Rain, so we couldn't haul in our wood. Damn.
Meeting of W.D.S. to dispose of its property & debts, & disband

Monday, April 27, 1908

Tuesday, April 28, 1908

Wed Mar. 10

Mrs Harrison came in.
WSS books paid for.
First meeting of new F.T.
board of directors.
Elected on Com. to improve theater.

Fri 12

3 Overstreets, Alice Pepper & Seid to
dinner.

Sat 13

Truckload of pitch from
Pebble Beach & biggest ever
hauled from there, I'll bet.
Miller & Seid helped John
& me.
Rotten poor dance at Bechdolts.

Wednesday, April 29, 1908

Thursday, April 30, 1908

Mon 15

Rain.

Tues 16 ?

Heavy rain. Dinner at Leids with 2 Mullers & 3 Overtuits.

Wed 17

I has changed her mind * Will fight for both children. I told her she'd find it a hard fight, as she had let me suppose the matter was fairly settled till the time for my filing ~~[illegible]~~ was legally past. I told her, however, that her morals would not be brought up.

Friday, May 1, 1908

Saturday, May 2, 1908

Thurs 18

Sent to dinner.
Meeting of F. T. directors. Play com. reported Yellow Jacket (JUH producer) & unnamed play by Grace Wickham (Gordon Davis producer) & August play unsettled.
Found $5 bill.
Pain in chest severe.
Fever.

Fri 19

Sick.

Sat 20

Trifle better.
Billy came up to stay awhile.

Sun 21

I learn many things (from Mrs Floyd) that people have said & are saying; chiefly about O, (but also about Alice)

Sunday, May 3, 1908

Monday, May 4, 1908

Mon Mar 22

Engaged Argyll Campbell to fight my case.

Talk with O at her cottage. ~~She~~ I demanded that she give me legal custody of Bill, he to stay ½ time with her, half with me, till she remarried – then all with me except visits to her. She finally appeared to consent but would sign no agreement without consulting Zabala (= Mrs Livingston, I imagine). Said come see her tomorrow noon.

Dinner at Campbell's. Severe chest in night.

Tues 23

Saw O & Mrs. Livingston together & Mrs. Li. Sharp talk on both

Tuesday, May 5, 1908

Wednesday, May 6, 1908

23

sides. No agreement.
Dinner at Cators (his birthday)
Billy too.

Wed 24

Campbell sent over petition
to Court to set aside ~~thy~~ default.
Said to dinner. Rain.
Pain & neck.

Thurs 25

Neck all day & night.
Dinner at Seid's with Billy.
Rain much of day & night.

Fri 26

Neck neck neck. Nemitis?
Cirleys 40th birthday. Dance!
Went down with Jonelyns.
Billy left. Rain

Thursday, May 7, 1908

Friday, May 8, 1908

Sat Mar 27

Neck better. Cold weather.
Dinner at Mrs Whitney with Said
& Laura Dierssen. Mighty good meal.

Sun 28

Neck still with me. Fine day.
Billy back with me.

Mon 29

Neck worst ever, at least
for 2 yrs.

Tues 30

Dinner at Seids.

Wed 31

Said to dinner.

Saturday, May 9, 1908

Sunday, May 10, 1908

1921 Thurs April 1

Poker party at Hilliards
Won 4.25

Fri 2

Supper at Rendtorff. Learned Hilliard ~~[illegible]~~ told Luther "Arms & Man" would be no good, so Luther stayed at home.
Also the Rendtorff were surprised that I had written much of Tristola. It seems J.W.H. spoke always as if he was practically sole author.
Billy went back to his mother

Sat 3

Poker at Fortier-Buhdolts Won $1.

Monday, May 11, 1908

Tuesday, May 12, 1908

Tues 6

Poker & Hilliards. Lost 10¢.
Storm. Hail. Wed 7
Thurs. 8
Judge Bardin reopened divorce suit.
Sick. Got 11 chickens from Mr Lloyd
for 20. Fri 9
Bronchial cold?
Sat 10
Still miserable
Sun 11
Dinner & Overstreets with Hallers.
Won 9.
Mon 12
Municipal election. Served
as election judge.
Beardsley defeats Mass Cook
115 to 91. Spent evening at Beardsley's.

Wednesday, May 13, 1908

Thursday, May 14, 1908

Wed Apr 14

Lewis Tarango plowed my field & new road. Worked like hell all day.

Bechdolt & Hilliard came up & asked if I would produce "Merry Wives of Windsor" in August. It seems Jimmy has objected to Hilliard's revisions of Grace Wickham's play, has decided to collaborate with her, & the play is withdrawn. Snow White instead.

Dinner at Cuileys with 2 Hunters & Pinkertons & Mrs. Brooks.

Home at 2! Long day!

Friday, May 15, 1908

Started organized tennis club.

Sinker shipment (largest yet) spoiled by rain (by S.P. R.R.)

Thurs 15

Lead to dinner. Sudden heavy rain in evening.

Saturday, May 16, 1908

Fri Apr 16

Meeting of F. T. directors.
Summer program completed.
Bechdolt becomes chairman of
playcom, & I fill the vacancy
left by Hopper's resignation.
A Night Off repeated at Arts &
Crafts. Helped make-up.

Sat 17

Stag dinner at Argyll Campbells.
Excellent stories of Tahiti by Campbell.
& the Emigration Service by Chadney.
Won $1 85 at Millers.

Sun 18

Dinner at LaPlay with Mrs. Harrison.
Won 75¢ at 1/4 cent auto. ($3 at regular
game!)

Sunday, May 17, 1908

Monday, May 18, 1908

Fri April 23

Poker party at Beckdolts. Lost 1.65.

Sat 24

Dance at Overstreets to celebrate house improvements.

Sun 25

Dinner at La Playa with Mrs. Harrison.
Search concert in afternoon.
(Czardas lovely)
Lost 50¢ in evening.

Tues 27

To Santa Cruz on book big with Mrs Morse & 3 Lloyds.

Tuesday, May 19, 1908

Wednesday, May 20, 1908

Wed. Apr 28

An aeroplane flew low right over the house just after breakfast.
Lewis Josselyn to lunch.
Had dinner at L. Josselyn's, after which Josselyn & I went to Hollands.

Fri Apr 30

Poker at Overstreets. Won 1 26.
No more poker till next winter for me.
Campbell proposed book store corporation in Monterey.

Thursday, May 21, 1908

Fri 7
Hawaiian dance at Margaret Hall.

Friday, May 22, 1908

1920 Sat May 1

Billy came up.

Sun 2

Planted veg. garden

Com. dinner & Hilliards

Mon 3

Put up election booths

Tues 4

Primary election. Voted for Hoover.

Sat 8

Dutch dinner & Hilliards.

Sun 9

John Hilliard to dinner

Mon 10

First warm day in weeks. It seems.

Tues 11

Louise Jeanne & Luncheon

Saturday, May 23, 1908

Sunday, May 24, 1908

Wed 12

Very cold again. Dutch Dinner at Hilliards
Poker party at Culeys. Won 1.20.
O'Shea & Ritschel there.

Thurs 13

Dutch supper at Hilliards.

Fri 14

To Highlands to check up books —
with the Wesneys.
Hawaiian music for dance at
Manzanita Hall. Good time.
Hula hula.

Sat 15

Warm again, thank God.
Mason came down. Talked till 2.
Dinner at Hilliards first.

Monday, May 25, 1908

Tuesday, May 26, 1908

Sun 16

Mrs. Harrison declines on Bargain Sales in S.F.

Tea at Hilliards, with Lewis Jones Lyon & his wife.

Mon 17

Dinner at Bechdolts with 2 Turners & 2 Hilliards..

Wed 19

Trout dinner at Caters with Seidenack

Sat 22

Hilliard & Seid to supper

Tues 25

To Salinas on jury duty.
"Go home!" & the lady from P.G.
who didn't want to serve.

Wednesday, May 27, 1908

Thursday, May 28, 1908

Wed 26

Sick. 2 Overstreets & dinner.

Thurs 27

Sicker. Worked on Lloyd screens

Fri 28.

Dinner at Hilliards. Better.
New water supply (from above instead of below.)

Sat 29

To Palo Alto with Dr. Cannon & his 2nd wife, then on to S.F. by bus.
Book by all afternoon.
Dinner with G. S. at Club, where I put up.
Treasure Island movie with Mason & Faustina. Rotten, but

Friday, May 29, 1908

Saturday, May 30, 1908

29

delightful monkey-dog-horse-
hild comedy with it.
Supper with Jim & Faustina
~~to the States~~.

Sun 30

Ysaye-Elman concert at
Civic auditorium.
Old bookstores rest of day.

Mon 31

Decoration day. Everything
closed except old bookstores.
Found some good buys.

Sunday, May 31, 1908

Monday, June 1, 1908

1920 Tues June 1

Big all day
lunch with Jim Mason

Wed 2

Took Jim to lunch.
Dinner on G. S. with 2 Laflers
at Julius'; then to Giandinja
No lack of drink, in spite of
the law. Mrs. Lafler & Harry now.
Dancing. To Lafler's home
on Telegraph Hill. Great view.
Newbegin lent me Book Pneumonia.

Thurs 3.

Farewell dinner to Charles
Rollo Peters, at Club. Guest of
G S.

Fri 4

Lobster lunch with G.

Tuesday, June 2, 1908

Sun 6

Billy dear came up

Billy left.

Wednesday, June 3, 1908

4

Home on Del Monte Xpress.
Dinner at Overstreets.

Thurs 10

Pinkerton party. Best "party" (as distinct from "ball") I ever was at. Most of us stayed till 6:30 next morning.

Fri 11.

Didn't go to bed at all.
Got sack of sand for lg's friend, I strained back.

Sat 12

Argyll Campbell's ~~[illegible]~~ party.

Sun 13

Dinner at L. Jewelyn's.

Thursday, June 4, 1908

Friday, June 5, 1908

Tues. 15

Rained off & on last 4 days — light, of course. Queer!
Cooper came to La Playa with his mother.

Wed. 16

Dinner with Coopers.

Thurs 17

1st rehearsal of Yellow Jacket.
Ling Woo in first act. (+ Daffodil).
Sick.

Sat 19

Dinner at La Playa with Coopers.
Rehearsal in evening — Tai Fah Mei.
Billy came home with me.
Very warm day.

Saturday, June 6, 1908

Sunday, June 7, 1908

Sun 20

Part changed again — this time to Yin Suey Gong — the Purveyor of Hearts.
Opal has filed an amended complaint — dandest combination of lies founded on half-truths of actions perfectly reasonable when considered in relation to her actions.

Mon 21

Coopers to dinner. (& Billy)
Rehearsal in p.m.

Wed 23

Coopers left Carmel.

Monday, June 8, 1908

Tuesday, June 9, 1908

Balance of June.

Took 2 rehearsals of Yellow Jacket when John slumped. Helped in numerous other ways. Made notes on entire production & my part before dress rehearsal & John made corrections according. Beckdolt jumped part, & then returned to old. No time to learn my part, so teached it around footlights.

Ann Davis first dance at Arts & Crafts.

Two evenings at Beckdolts, one at Pinkertons, after rehearsals.

Dinner at Montgomery's.

Close of poker season. About $25 ahead.

Wednesday, June 10, 1908

2 Lopers came down,

Played tennis with Lopers

Thursday, June 11, 1908

1920 July 1.
Dress rehearsal: Yin Tuey Gong (6th part assigned me!)

Fri July 2
1st perf of Yellow Jacket.

Sat 3
2nd perf. Both perfs big success.
Dance at Hilliards after.
Stopped at 4:00. Fine time.

Sun 4
Numerous congrats on my muchly overdone part, while Marion's beautiful perf. only

Friday, June 12, 1908

Saturday, June 13, 1908

appreciated by a few.

Mon 5

Played tennis with Lafler.
Meeting of F.T. Council decided
to repeat Yellow Jacket.

Tues 6

Laflers left.
Hilliard to breakfast.
Got Yellow Jacket called off.
3 Overstreets & Miss Fortier
& Ernest Hennings to dinner

Sunday, June 14, 1908

Monday, June 15, 1908

Thurs 8

Breslau-Argall concert at A & C. Rotten.

Fri 9

Hooper's dance & A & C. Fine time.

Sat 10

"Male & Female" (Admirable Crichton") ?!!!
Took Billy, who spent night.

Sun 11

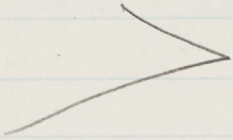
Dinner (dandy) at Bechdolts house, by Miss Fortune. Good dances with P. Won 95¢.

Mon 12

Candy for P.

Tuesday, June 16, 1908

(Opal & the children went camping.)



Wednesday, June 17, 1908

12

First rehearsal (reading) of Snow White, 11 days before perf!! Dinner at Fortier's.

Tues 13

2nd rehearsal (reading) Oh boy, we have to work!

Wed 14

3 & 4. Mrs. Binton gives up Witch

Thurs 15

5, 6, 7. Jeannette declines Witch. Dinner at Overstreets. Cirley resigns as big man.

Fri 16

8, 9, 10. Dinner at Hilliards Miss McIntyre as Witch. Fine. Gottfried baby born (8 mos.)

Thursday, June 18, 1908

Friday, June 19, 1908

Sat July 17

11, 12, 13 rehearsals.
Mrs Culey's birthday dance
(transformation of Louise Duggan)
Went down & came home with
the Moshers — but the price
was too high. Poor Mosher!
how can he stand her!

Sun 18

No rehearsal.

Mon 19

14 & 15 rehearsal
Lewis Jonelyn dance with Louise

Tues 20

16 & 17

Saturday, June 20, 1908

Sunday, June 21, 1908

Wed July 21

18 & 19
Bonnie has smallpox.

Thurs 22

~~20~~ rehearsal. Costumes in p m
& scene rehearsals (21).
Light, set, & dress rehearsal
from 7:30 to 12:30 (22). Oh how
the parents suffered!

Fri 23

~~Extra~~ rehearsal of Phyllis
& dwarfs in ~~Sixth~~ scene.
First performance. Largest
house ever yet for children's
play. Performance satisfactory.

Monday, June 22, 1908

Tuesday, June 23, 1908

Sat July 24

John so mad about his punk acting as Berthold that he swears hell never act again! (But he will)

2nd performance. Not quite so good as 1st, tho John was much better & make up better.

One flat fell down; also 1 side screen. Also 1 dog came on stage. Also a row of dwarfs' faces showed on the right!

Grace did her best work in Snow White. Marian was (as always) fine. Maurice Storey showed talent.

Doris McIntyre was excellent witch.

Solomons good Dandepeat. Virginia Brinton beautiful Prince

A & C dance for an hour afterward.

Wednesday, June 24, 1908

Thursday, June 25, 1908

Sun July 25

Lobos picnic with 4 Hilands
Louise Duggan, 2 Buckinghams
Mason & Faustina, Constance.
2 Jocelyns later.
Back at 8. Then to Jocelyns
where Bechdolt & Free came,
& we discussed Dunsany production

Mon 26

Parts typed.

Tues 27

1st rehearsal of The Golden
Doom & The Tents of the Arabs.

Wed 28

2nd rehearsal of both.
Bechdolt keen all day —
and failed to show up at night.
Free invaluable.

Friday, June 26, 1908

Saturday, June 27, 1908

Thurs July 29

Bonnie's baby has small pox, which explains why Beck didn't show up. ~~He wants~~ Hillard writes he can't play King in Golden Doom, account his eyes. Beck wants it, but is just enough to see that Morse can do it better. Really, Beck is behaving splendidly.

Spanish dance at Ase for restoration fund. Took Hilda. Louise there.

Got Bolkes & do the sets, which Free, Morse & I worked out today ~~this morning~~ in models.

3 & 4 rehearsals of Golden Doom. Billy has mumps in camp

Sunday, June 28, 1908

Monday, June 29, 1908

Fri July 30

Assumptions dinner at Caton.
Worked all day on Dunsany
3rd & 4 rehearsal of Arals
5 of Doom.
George came down.

Sat July 31

To Monterey with Free & Marian
Worked all day on Dunsany
6 & 7 rehearsal of Doom.
Dinner at La Playa with Free.

Tuesday, June 30, 1908

Wednesday, July 1, 1908

1920 Sunday Aug 1
George left
Dinner at Overstreets
5 & 6 Arabs. Stimmel's bro. came.
Monday 2
7 Arabs 8 & 9 Doom
To Monterey & P.G. with Frac.
John returned. Doesn't want to
play, doesn't like acting —
hates acting — done with F.T.!
He forgets his slight debt to
me on Pygmalion & Galatea,
Alice in Wonderland, The Yellow
Jacket, Snow White —
not to mention Trisitela!
Tues 3
8 Arabs.

Thursday, July 2, 1908

Friday, July 3, 1908

Wed 4

Chains came down from the camp, & told of skunk walking across Billy's face.

10 & 11 Golden Doom

Canned Maurice for missing 2 rehearsals, & put Benj. Duggan in.

Thurs 5

9 & 10 Arabs.

Constance back from camp - staying with Hilda.

Fri 6

Doom 12 & 13

Sat 7

Lunch at La Playa with Bechdolt & Face.

Arabs 11 & 12

Saturday, July 4, 1908

Sunday, July 5, 1908

Sun, Aug. 8

Doom 14 & 15
Dinner at Overstreets
Lost 29¢ at poker.

Mon 9

Semi dress rehearsal of Arals
with set & lights O.K. 13 & 14
Check to camp.

Tues 10

Semi dress — rehearsal of Doom
with set & lights 16 & 17

Wed. 11

Semi dress rehearsal of Arals,
with set & lights 15 & 16
Beckdolt on his usual rampage,
wanting to chuck the whole production.
Free, influenced by him (& Luther?) also
uneasy. Lunch at La Playa with Free

Monday, July 6, 1908

Tuesday, July 7, 1908

Thursday 12

Full dress rehearsal of
The Tents of the Arabs
and The Golden Doom
with costumes, lighting, set,
all props. ~~(and orchestra ?)~~

Fri Aug 13

1st perf of the Dunsany plays
Largest August house in
bastons of F.T., except
Montezuma which had only
one perf. Also very large
gate (largest of any! $125.
Perf began (on time) 8:30,
ended at 10:30. 1/2 hr.
to change sets
Morse fine figure and

Wednesday, July 8, 1908

Thursday, July 9, 1908

very impressive as King in Golden Doors. Jenks fine first setting. Kibbler his best yet as Chamberlain. The two children very very good. Bechdolt ok as Chief Prophet. Spies good enough, almost. Shepard good picture as Stranger. Setting tremendous. Great exit of the King.

I don't think I ever did better work than as King in Tents of Arabs, tho I've had more actable parts. But its very beautiful. Marion a remarkably good Eynaya — best she ever did. Duggan as Bel Nasr very very

Friday, July 10, 1908

Saturday, July 11, 1908

good, also Beckdolt as Arab — best he ever did. Solomons very good, but overplayed. Didn't see Jenks as Chamberlain except from stage while on. Local color & atmosphere very fine. Water girl particularly. Bolke's setting beautiful. Music ok. All thanks to Free for his bully cooperation. Also to Morse.

Sat 14

Dinner with Free.
Ind perf. Not so good as first. But ok.

Sunday, July 12, 1908

Dunsany plays took in $800!! Hooray.

Monday, July 13, 1908

Sun Aug 15

Stag party (dinner mostly)
at Seidenecks studio.

Mon 16

Dinner at Hilliards.

Tues 17

Hilda (and Phyllis) confess.
Vasia's concert
Talk with Luther on Villon
& other dramatic subjects.

Wed 18

Constance & Bill (etc) return
for the day from camp.

Sat 21

Woodland Dancers. Sold tickets at gate.
Poker at Seid's studio after Won $6.00

Tuesday, July 14, 1908

Wednesday, July 15, 1908

Sunday Aug 22

Cleaned clothes & washed all day. "High tea" at Whitneys. First tea I've been to in 2 years. Evening at Duggars.

Wed 25

Search Chamber Concert at A&C.

Thurs 26

Not very well.
Margaret Clute came back last night.

Fri 27

Dinner at Overstreets. Won 85¢
Home at 12:30, after drive round the hill. Nervous as hell, & didn't get to sleep till 3:30!

Thursday, July 16, 1908

Friday, July 17, 1908

Sat Cong 28

Up at 8, & worked hard all day. Sold $23 of stuff in shop.

Fred says he doesn't care if we never pay his F.T. bill. Still him what I thought of him. He's one fine person.

Sunday 29

To DelMonte open air swimming pool for first time (with Parkes & 3 overstreets.) Dandy place. Dinner at Sherman Rose, after which we drove to Salinas & danced a little after we got back.

Saturday, July 18, 1908

Sunday, July 19, 1908

Mon Aug 30

Worked like hell all day (finishing at 8:30 putting up election booths) Overstreet confides in me about Percy Parkes.

Tues Aug 31.

Up at 5. Election board all day. Dinner at Overstreets.

~~Wed~~

Monday, July 20, 1908

Tuesday, July 21, 1908

Wed Sep 1 1920

Took down booths.
Paid Devendorf (as F. T. treasurer)
1st installment ($250) on F. T.
To P. G. with Parkes & Overstreets
Raw performance of P. O.
Paid Goold's $75 note
Dinner at Overstreets.

Thurs 2

Long talk with John Hilliard
in which I told him I expected
to produce first play next
year. I reminded him it
was his own suggestion, &
also told him it was Beckhard's
& Freund's opinion.

Wednesday, July 22, 1908

Thursday, July 23, 1908

Wed 8

Dinner at Whitings. Wm 3.65

~~Rd~~ Cold.

Sun 12

To Highlands Sun with Mr Lawson to check up branch sales. Only 17.10, so closed the damn thing. (Profit about 3.40 for 3 months!) Dinner there.

Mon 13

Annual meeting of F.T.

Re-elected to Play Com.

Mrs Klengel, pres.

Cato, v.p. H. Parkes

Jenks, sec. Mrs Hayward

Kibbler, treas Miss Keefer

Overstreet, hist.

Beckdolt, Ch. Play Com

Hilliard & Hearn Play Com

Friday, July 24, 1908

~~[illegible]~~
(+ 2.50 [illegible])
on [illegible]

+ 8.30

Saturday, July 25, 1908

#3

All my friends, & some my friends against all comers. No Cookes, Newberrys, Hands, Holmes, Morgans, etc. etc. for first time in 11 years! John Hilliard made speech for me as next July producer, & the stocks to it ——

Tues 14

To Lamb Dixon's to hear Mamie Bode sing, Beyerette are perfect & lovely. Won 1.30

Wed 15

Dutch supper at Lewis Jacobs.

Fri 17

Won 5.80

Sunday, July 26, 1908

Monday, July 27, 1908

Sun 19

Beckdolt is in bad acct his speech against Cailey. He says he's through. Good thing. Yea ~~Played~~ yea today & may may tomorrow is too much for anyone's nerves.

Played tennis at Cailey's with Hopper.

Tues 21

Tennis at Pebble Beach with Hopper, Pinkerton & Miss Williams.

Wed 22

Directors meeting F.T.

Beckdolt rather rude. Departed.

Dinner at La Playa with Mrs Harrison

Called on Luthers

Tuesday, July 28, 1908

25

7 chickens (of 10) killed by some animal or stolen by some man.

Wednesday, July 29, 1908

Thurs Sep 23

Dinner at Pinkertons. Delightful discussion of J.N.H. And it seems Kopper was not for Hilliard as producer originally, but John worked him.

Fri 24.

Dinner at Rev. Mr Williams.

Sun 26

C's birthday. Gave her pocket knife. F.T. available help seeming hopeless, Berkdolt, Hilliard & I decided to chuck it.

Mon 27

Letter from Cooper, who is to be married & is coming out

Thursday, July 30, 1908

Long Beach!!!
Didn't that Dam!
(Oct 7)

Friday, July 31, 1908

next summer, & wants to
put on a children's play!
So I'll stick for Wells' sake.

Tues 28

Telegraphed $62 to help Ma
out of her trouble with land owner
at Long Beach.
Fine luncheon with Devendorf
in Monterey.
Too much excitement. Nerves bad.
Hot day. Perfect night —

Wed 29

To Pebble Beach with 3 Pinkertons
Took Billy. 2 Hoppers & Jimmy joined
us there. Boat to the Island
Got mussels & 40 abalones.

Saturday, Aug. 1, 1908

Sunday, Aug. 2, 1908

Thurs Sep 30

Beck made no fuss over my reconsideration of F.T. John seems disgruntled. Let him grunt. I'm through with him.

Dinner at Mrs. Youngs.

Slept badly. Too much grub.

Monday, Aug. 3, 1908

+ 7.90

Tuesday, Aug. 4, 1908

Friday Oct 1

Dinner of abalone — the highest I ever ate — so I didn't & Half sick.

Sat 2

Very weary. And Billy, who was to come & stay with me, didn't come.

Sun 3

Dinner at Overstreets. —.40

Mon 4

Talk with O. She agreed finally to let me have Billy 1/4 of the time till she remarries, & 3/4 after that.

Wednesday, Aug. 5, 1908

Thursday, Aug. 6, 1908

& to have legal custody of Billy, she of Constance.
She looks older, worn, & not very happy.
Anyhow, we don't have a court fight — unless she goes back on her word a second time.
Took Billy & C to Kenyon's marionette show.

Wed ex 6
First rain (in night)
Thurs 7
Not well.
Fri 8
Ditto. Rain again.

Friday, Aug. 7, 1908

Saturday, Aug. 8, 1908

~~Sat Oct 8~~

Still not well. Billy didn't come up.

June 10

I was about to go down & get him, when I heard his little voice & the dog. He stayed all day & helped me work.

June 11

We had pancakes & maple syrup & cream for breakfast, & then he went to school. Cleaned up the shed.

June 12

Dinner with Said (& Lame & Mrs. Whitney) at ~~the~~ Blue Bird; then ~~to~~ Mrs. W's, where Marion sang, & Clint played, & Lame played, & Willet Brown did nothing — and Margaret Clute came & went.

Sunday, Aug. 9, 1908

No com. meeting & discuss Chautauqua & Children's play till 10 minutes before Directors meeting at which Com. was to report!

Monday, Aug. 10, 1908

Thurs 14

Beabdolt informed me that play was to be chosen tomorrow!

Fri 15

It was. Chanticler, with Hilliard as producer. Childrens play to be written by Newberry & produced by him.

I told Musklengel a few things before the meeting.

I told John several things while we waited outside for the directors to discuss producer.

When I said good night to John it was for good.

Tuesday, Aug. 11, 1908

Wednesday, Aug. 12, 1908

Sat Oct. 16

Talked with Mrs Klengel, Helen Parkes & Bechdolt, making my position quite clear. Poor Helen, sneering at the F.T. a month ago, urging me to work in it now; despising Hilliard & voting for him! And Overstreet, hating Hilliard & thinking him a rotten producer, voting for him! And Bechdolt, after all he said this summer, forcing the choice of Hilliard as July 4th producer & Newberry as the other, leaving me out cold! But ah! It also leaves me out of months of hard work!

Thursday, Aug. 13, 1908

Friday, Aug. 14, 1908

16

Dinner with Lind at Blue Bird
Billy came up for the night.

Sun Oct 17

Lind & Breakfast.
George Sterling dropped in soon after, going away on afternoon train.
Read Rosamund. Vivid thing, swift & strong & beautiful in places, but not great.
Rain.

~~Sat 23~~

Planned the Carmel Players.
Highly approved by Miss Anson.
To Pebble Beach with Free to see Mary Pickford & Douglas

Saturday, Aug. 15, 1908

Sunday, Aug. 16, 1908

23

Fairbanks work. Didn't.

Mon 25

Talked with Free about Carmel Players, & enlisted his support. Also Cator, L. Josselyn, Overstreet, Seideneck, Miss Boden, Marian Boke, Charis, etc.

Tues 26

Birthday.
Talk with Luther on Carmel Drama. Then to Free, with whom I lunched. Resolved: dropped local dramatic work entirely.

Monday, Aug. 17, 1908

Tuesday, Aug. 18, 1908

Fri Oct 29

To Pebble Beach with Cators Campbells, to dinner at Carl Lerup's. Ye gods! what a dinner. I haven't eaten such a meal in years, if ever.

Sat 30

Cilley came up. Told him all about Bechdolt-Hilliard-Newberry combination.

Wednesday, Aug. 19, 1908

Thursday, Aug. 20, 1908

Mon Nov. 1.

Sold $525 lot to Mrs. Thomson commission $25+

Hopper came in shop & asked about children's play. I told him. He let loose about Hilliard & Bechdolt. Said "they" (Beck & John, of course) first laid everything wrong in F.T. to Newbury, then to Acme but Bechdolt was the real trouble maker. He said he was a shifty schemer (a words to the effect), & could get away with it because of his honest face. [redacted]

So it looks as if

Friday, Aug. 21, 1908

Served on election board from
6:45 a.m. to
4 a.m. next morning.

Saturday, Aug. 22, 1908

Overstreet lied — no, as if Bachdolt lied to Overstreet — when he said Hopper was the one who was against me on the Play Com. last year! Pinkerton's remark on Hopper's attitude to Hilliard as producer bears this out.

Tues Nov 2

Hopper plants revolution in F.T., with Cuilegs & Pinkerton.

Wed Nov 3

Good talk with Hopper, in which he said Hilliard was "a son of a bitch, a crook and a liar" (sic). Bachdolt

Sunday, Aug. 23, 1908

Monday, Aug. 24, 1908

& Hilliard to see Newberry as a committee (ignoring me again).

Thurs Nov 4

The revolt grows.
To Monterey with Cator to look over possibility of "Seven Arts" in Monterey.

Fri 5

Beckdolt lies some more.
Dinner at Palace Bird, which I left before finish to get to meeting of F.T.
Beckdolt made a Play Com. report. of pageant to be produced, & other minor affairs, all of which was arranged without consulting me! Then Silva

Tuesday, Aug. 25, 1908

Wednesday, Aug. 26, 1908

sprang the bomb.

Sat Nov 6

Played 3 sets tennis at Del Monte with Turner, Hopper, & Pinkerton.

Sun 7

Rain.
Fine dinner at the Whitney's

Mon 8

More F. T. business. Mrs Keepers proffers co-operation.

Wed 10

To Monterey with Lewis Jossly to discuss Seven Arts with Cator & look further in the store
Rain.

Thursday, Aug. 27, 1908

Gave up Montana idea, as Columbia wants the most investment.

+ 5.93

Friday, Aug. 28, 1908

Sat Nov 13

Billy came up for the night.

Sun 14

Rain. Not very well.

Mon. 15

Heavy rain

Tues 16

Meeting of original board of directors of F.T. to put corporation back on legal basis & on com. to draft bylaws.

Wed 17

Dinner at Overstreets. Phyllis had the luck. Lost 1.97.

Thurs 18

Bought 1/2 a baby Hoover vacuum cleaner, Lind buying tother 1/2.

Cutting finger rather deep. Damn! Dance at Cilex's.

Saturday, Aug. 29, 1908

Sunday, Aug. 30, 1908

Fri Nov 19.

Revised F.T. by laws with Curley & Helen Parkes.
Very tired.

Sun 21

Billy came up. Rain. Painted black & gold bedstead. Curley read his Iceland play to me.

Mon 22

Billy left. Tedious business in Monterey all day, returning with Argyll Campbell, who was drunk & by no means a safe driver. Vile lunch in Monterey. Perfect dinner at home (2 fine lamb chops, mashed potato, apple pie & black coffee) x

Monday, Aug. 31, 1908

+ 7.63

Tuesday, Sept. 1, 1908

Thurs Nov 25

Painted bed half a day. My God! Thanksgiving dinner at 3 at the new Sunset Lodge — & some meal it was. Everything imaginable & too much of it &

Stopped in at Pinkertons on way home & won 1.70 playing jack pots with Bob P & John Turner.

Sat 27

With Pinkertons & Turners to Solomons. Turkey feed. Why in hell at 10 p.m? Why not at 6?

Sun 28

Dinner of ducks & dance at Overstreets

Wednesday, Sept. 2, 1908

Thursday, Sept. 3, 1908

From Nov 29

Not well. Quite the contrary.

To Dec 30

In addition to my guts being on the blink, I had terrible pain in my chest.

~~Hell~~

Friday, Sept. 4, 1908

Saturday, Sept. 5, 1908

1920 Wed Dec 1

Pretty feeble, after 2 kinds of sickness at once.
Cleaned house all day.
Billy came home with me.

Thurs 2

Worked like hell. Feel better.
Billy left for school.

Tues 7

Meeting of F.T. at A. & Carpts.
Perry's sub speech
Beckdolt quits again
Hopper stands on Newberry &
Perry smiles - very forced.
Cirley, Silva, Hopper, Campbell
& 8 quite prim, & won the day.

Sunday, Sept. 6, 1908

Monday, Sept. 7, 1908

7

Newly-laws adopted as we wished.

8

We are called all kinds of things!

Thurs 9

Spanish supper at the Colemans'.
Dance at La Playa
Storm.

Fri 10

Rally came up. Very sweet.

Sun 12

To San Carlos Day mass at Mission.
Dance at Hoppers.
Very cold.

Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1908

Wednesday, Sept. 9, 1908

Mon Dec 13

Cleaned shop all day
Very cold.

Tues 14

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14 — 18

Busy in shop.

Sun 19

Wrote speech for F. T. meeting.
Read it to Mrs Keefers for criticism.

Mon 20

Tried it on Miss Anson.
Made some corrections.

Tues 21

F. T. meeting at A & C.
Read speech. Applause
spontaneous & approximately

Thursday, Sept. 10, 1908

Friday, Sept. 11, 1908

21

unanimous. Newberry as usual. Hopper very bull-doggy. Decency won. Nine directors:

Hopper, Culey, Mosher, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Klengel, Kibbler, Bechdolt, Van Riper, Cotter.

6 of the nine absolutely straight, I follow the strong side — in this case the side of right — and one unconscious (?) crush.

21-24

Pre-Xmas trade not quite so good as last year. Money tight

Saturday, Sept. 12, 1908

Sunday, Sept. 13, 1908

Friday Dec 24

Xmas Eve dance at Cirkys'.
Dandy eats, good floor,
nice crowd, but poor
phonograph music.

Sat 25

Campbell asked me to dinner,
but I had engagement with
Mrs Harrison. Excellent
homelike meal (at Miss Kern's).
Presents received:
From Constance & Billy - pair
of nice sox. From Phyllis, salt & pepper shakers.
From Opal (impromptu)
a large piece of fruit cake.
From Mrs Harrison - $10 check.
Presents given —
To Billy - Boys Special No 12
(bat)

Monday, Sept. 14, 1908

+ 7.43

Tuesday, Sept. 15, 1908

25

To Constance — Sponge, soap, cold cream.
To various small children various small presents —
Good dance at La Playa.

Sun Dec. 26

Slept till 11. Latest ever?
Dinner at the Colemans'.
Lost 20¢ at Overstreets.

Mon 27

U.S.C. Glee Club concert at Del Monte — and dance.

Wednesday, Sept. 16, 1908

Thursday, Sept. 17, 1908

28 - 31

Cleaning house & getting ready for by dance.

Friday, Sept. 18, 1908

Saturday, Sept. 19, 1908

Friday Dec 31
New years Eve dance. Asked
180 people. 60 came.
Dance was looking success, but
no fun for me. But it paid
off a lot of purely social
debts & leaves me free
for months to ask to my
house only those I like.

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Memoranda

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